

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Kenneth A. Jones, et al.  
U.S. Serial No.: 09/471,572  
Filed : December 23, 1999  
For : CHIMERIC G PROTEINS AND USES THEREOF



1185 Avenue of the Americas  
New York, New York 10036  
March 9, 2000

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

COMMUNICATION REQUESTING CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

This Communication is filed to request the issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt in connection with the above-identified application. Upon receipt of the official Filing Receipt for the subject application, a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**, applicants' undersigned attorney noticed an error. Specifically, under "Applicants" the following now appears:

--KENNETH J. JONES, BERGENFIELD, NJ; MARY W. WALKER, MIDLAND PARK, NJ; JOSEPH TAMM, HAWTHORNE, NJ; THERESA A. BRANCHEK, TEANECK, NJ; CHRISTOPHE P.G. GERALD, RIDGEWOOD, NJ.--

A corrected Filing Receipt should read as follows:

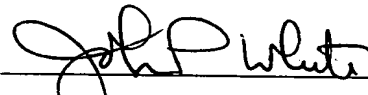
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Applicants contend that Kenneth A. Jones' correct middle initial may be found in the Declaration and Power of Attorney filed with the subject application on December 23, 1999. A copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached hereto as **Exhibit B**. Accordingly, applicants request that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued.

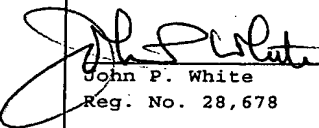
No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Communication. However, if any fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,



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